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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ABANDONMENT AND CONTINGENT PETITION FOR REVIVAL UNDER CFR 1.137(b)

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

July 28, 2008

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the Notice of Abandonment mailed on June 11, 2008 in connection with the above-referenced application, be withdrawn and requests that the subject application be reinstated. The Board of Appeal's decision was mailed on May 30, 2008 and therefore the two month deadline for requesting rehearing would be July 30, 2008. Applicants request that the present application be reinstated to July 30, 2008 as a continuation application is being filed to address the issues discussed on appeal.

Applicants request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn and alternatively petitions for revival under CFR 1.137(b) for unintentional abandonment contingent upon the decision of the Request to Withdrawal Abandonment filed concurrently herewith. Applicants believe that the

continuation application was timely filed but if there was a delay, the entire delay in filing the continuation application from the date of the Board decision until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to this paragraph was unintentional.

If any fee is required in connection with this submission, please charge such to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. An extra copy of this letter is attached for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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